

## Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 84

### RESOLUTION CHAPTER 166

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 84—Relative to the Larry Combs Memorial Rest Stop.

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#### LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SCR 84, Denham. Larry Combs Memorial Rest Stop.

This measure would designate the Westly rest stop on Interstate Highway Route 5 as the “Larry Combs Memorial Rest Stop.” The measure would also request the Department of Transportation to determine the cost of appropriate plaques and markers showing this special designation and, upon receiving donations from nonstate sources covering that cost and a sign maintenance fee, to erect those plaques and markers.

WHEREAS, Larry Combs was a leadworker for the Department of Transportation assigned to the operation and service of all roadside rest stops for District 10 of the Department of Transportation, which included the Westly rest stop off Interstate Highway Route 5 in the County of Stanislaus; and

WHEREAS, Larry Combs was well recognized as an outstanding employee of the Department of Transportation who gave the people of California selfless, dedicated service that resulted in improved and superior maintenance of roadside rest stops; and

WHEREAS, Many times Larry Combs, through his own initiative, overcame seemingly insurmountable problems to keep California roadside rest stops open and available to the traveling public; and

WHEREAS, Larry Combs had a wonderful personality that inspired many who worked either with him or for him to do their best in the worst situations and to do it with a smile; and

WHEREAS, Larry Combs was a great friend to many and a great representative of the Department of Transportation; and

WHEREAS, The Department of Transportation lost a valuable member of its family when Larry Combs passed away; now, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate of the State of California, the Assembly thereof concurring,* That the Legislature hereby designates the Westly rest stop on Interstate Highway Route 5 in the County of Stanislaus as the Larry Combs Memorial Rest Stop; and be it further

*Resolved*, That the Department of Transportation is requested to determine the cost of appropriate plaques and markers, consistent with the signing requirements, for the state highway system, showing this special designation, and, upon receiving donations from nonstate sources sufficient to cover the cost plus a sign maintenance fee, as determined by the department, that does not exceed 10 percent of the total cost of erecting the plaques and markers, to erect those plaques and markers; and be it further

*Resolved*, That the Secretary of the Senate transmit copies of this resolution to the Department of Transportation and to the author of this resolution for appropriate distribution.

